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In re the Application of: **MATSUYAMA, Nobuo**

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For: **HYDRAULICALLY DRIVEN VEHICLE**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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August 31, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 8 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 18 of this paper.